ಶ್ರೀ ಆರ್. ಅನಂತರಾಮು.— ಪ್ರಮೋಷ್ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದೀರಲ್ಲಾ ಅದು ಸರ್ವೀಸ್ ಮೇಲೆ ಮಾಡಿಲ್ಲ. ಸಂಬಳ ಹೆಚ್ಚಾಗಿ ಬರುವುದರಿಂದ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದೀರಿ ಅಲ್ಲವೇ ?

ಡಾ॥ ಆರ್. ನಾಗನಗೌಡ.—ಪ್ರಮೋಷ್ ಮಾಡಿಲ್ಲವಲ್ಲಾ. It is stop-gap arrangement that we have made and that cannot be considered as promotion. Promotion can be done only with the consent of the Public Service Commission.

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಹುಚ್ಚೇಗೌಡ.—ಸಿನಿಯಾರಿಟಿ ಮೇಲೆ ಪ್ರಮೋಷ್ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದವರ ಪೈಕಿ ಕೆಲವರು 1-1½ ವರ್ಷ ಕೆಲಸ ಮಾಡಿದಮೇಲೆ ಪುನಃ ಅವರನ್ನು ಹಿಂದಕ್ಕೆ ಹಾಕ್ಕಿದ್ದೀರಿ ಅಲ್ಲವೇ ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—Now applications have been called for for making permanent arrangements. This is an arrangement that we have made so that work can go on smoothly.

Assistant Directors of Bangalore Government Press (Officiating Arrangements.)

Q.—222. Sri R. ANANTARAMAN (Chamarajpet).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether any officiating arrangements are proposed by the Director of Printing in certain gazetted posts for the conduct of work ;

(*b*) if so, when they were proposed and why they have not issued orders so far ;

(*c*) whether the delay in approving the officiating arrangements has not dislocated the work of the Press and therefore several items of work pending in the department ;

(*d*) whether the Director of Printing has not made several reports about the matter and issued reminders times without number to Government to approve at least officiating arrangements for the conduct of work ;

(*e*) the action taken by Government in the matter so far ?

A.—Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA (Minister for Agriculture).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) In March 1954 ;

Orders have been issued by Government.

(*c*) No.

(*d*) Some reminders have been received.

(*e*) Government have issued orders fixing the ratio of filling up the posts of Assistant Directors by direct recruitment and by promotion in Government Order No. M. 11741-42—P. & S. 58-52-4, dated 9th September 1954. Orders to recruit probationers have been issued. In-charge arrangements for the conduct of work have also been made, as an interim measure.

Sri R. ANANTARAMAN.—There has been a long delay in promoting these Assistant Directors. Why ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—The question of promotion and the method of recruitment have to be decided. How many should be recruited directly and how many should be promoted — for that we had to consult the Public Service Commission and so all this has taken about two years and a half.

Depressed Classes (Acquisition cases).

Q.—428. Sri M. CHIKKALINGIAH (Malavalli-Scheduled Castes).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the number of acquisition cases of Depressed Classes that have been sanctioned for the last three years up to 31st December 1955 and sites allotted ;

(*b*) the number of cases still pending on 1st January 1956 and the duration of pendency (talukwar figures to be furnished) ;

(*c*) the number of cases wherein stay orders from Government have been issued while taking possession of acquired lands for distribution among Depressed Classes (talukwar figures to be furnished) ?